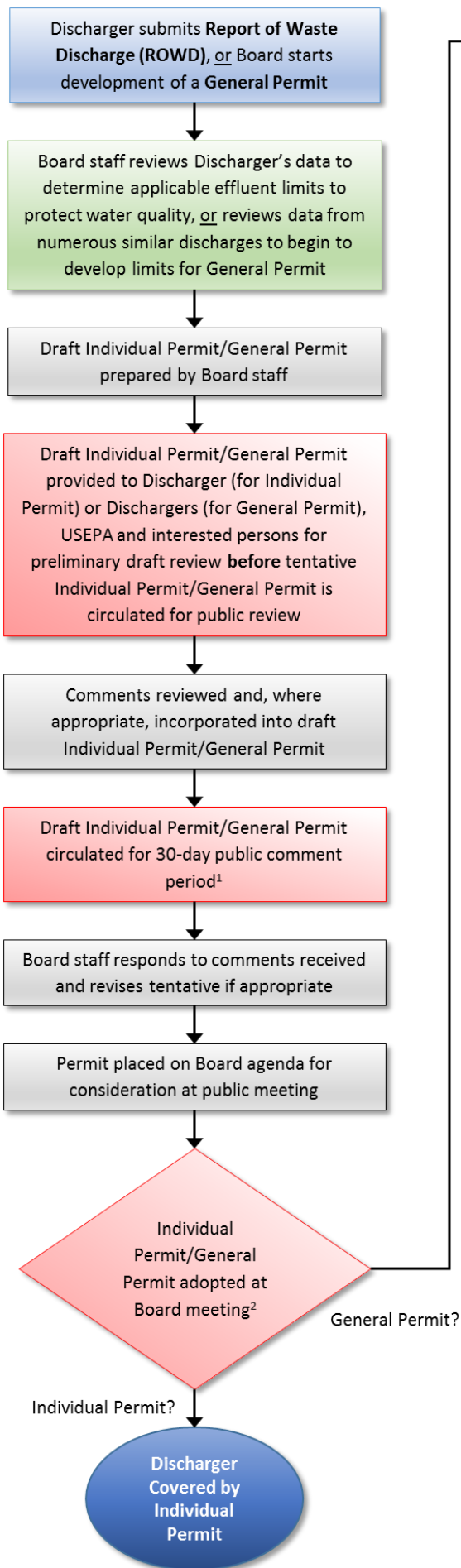
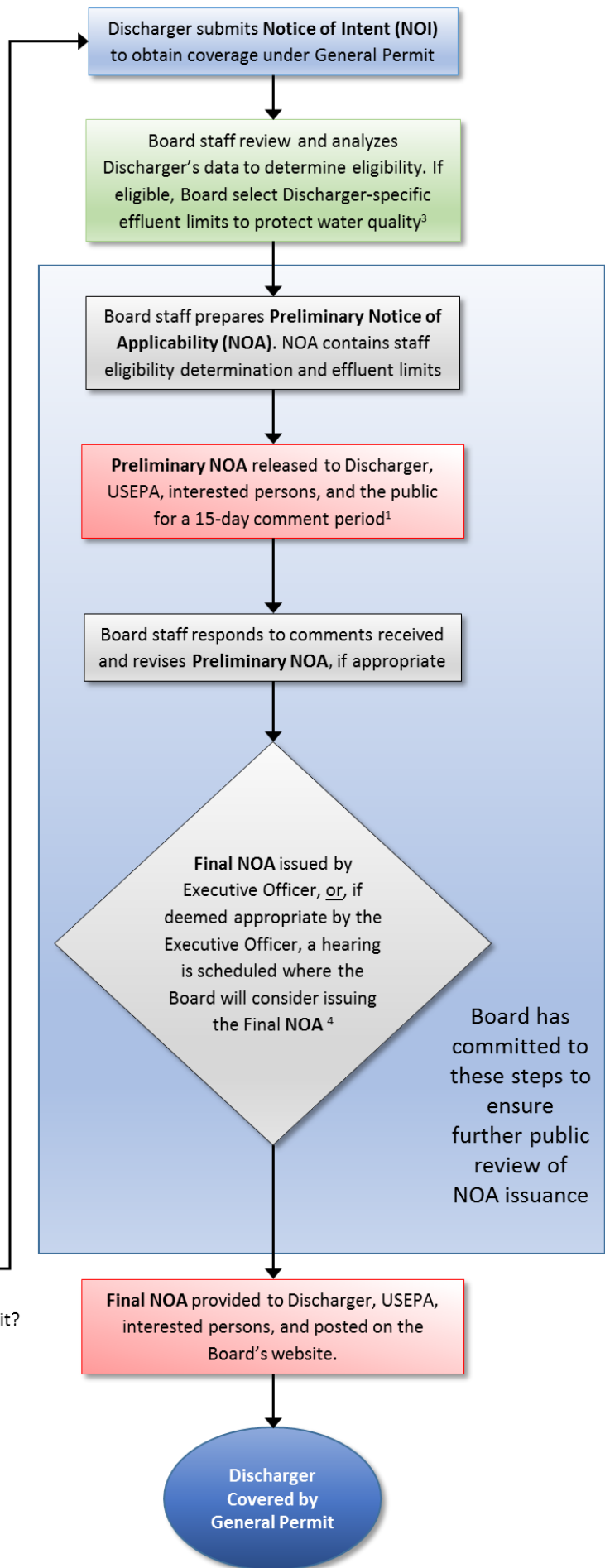


NPDES Permitting Process Individual and General Permits



Process to Receive Coverage Under Municipal General Permit



¹ Public Notice Includes:

- Email notification sent to Central Valley Water Board email subscription list.
- Email copy of the notice sent directly to Discharger(s), US EPA, and interested persons that have requested notice
- Hard copy of the notice will be mailed to Discharger(s), US EPA, and interested persons that have requested notice
- Notices for Facilities discharging greater than 5 million gallons per day are also noticed in the newspaper prior to being considered at a Board meeting

² Based on the record and comments received at the hearing, the Board may adopt the permit as presented, revise the permit and adopt, or may continue the hearing to allow staff to further consider Discharger and interested persons' concerns before bringing the item back to the Board for their consideration. If the later occurs and significant changes are made to the permit, the revised permit will be noticed for public comment prior to the Board meeting.

³ General Permits contain standard provisions and monitoring and reporting requirements that apply to all Dischargers.

⁴ If significant issues are raised, the NOA the Executive Officer will direct staff to calendar the item for a Board hearing.